# Criminal Defense Lawyers' Ethics

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2008: 1:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m. FISHERS CONFERENCE CENTER, FISHERS

#### **TOPICS**

- "The 'Guilty Project' in a Time of Innocence Projects: Sustaining a Career in Indigent Criminal Defense."
- Time will be allotted for audience questions.

#### **FACULTY:**

Professor Abbe L. Smith, is the Co-Director of the Criminal Justice Clinic and the Prettyman Fellowship Program at Georgetown University Law Center and co-author with Monroe H. Freedman, of Understanding Lawyers' Ethics (4<sup>th</sup> Edition 2007). Professor Smith served as a public defender in Philadelphia for 8 years and has practiced criminal law in five states. She is also a published cartoonist.

#### **CLE CREDIT:**

The Indiana Commission on Legal Education will accredit this seminar for three (3) ethics CLE hours. Please fill in your attorney number below from your Disciplinary Commission good standing card.

## • DATE • PRICE • PLACE

Time: 1:00 -4:15 p.m.; Registration begins at 12:30 p.m.

Fees: Public defenders \$65 by October 3; after October 3- \$80; at the door - \$95

Criminal defense lawyers \$80 by October 3; after October 3 - \$95; at the door - \$110

Deadline for cancellation refund is October 10.

Place: Fishers Conference Center 9775 North by Northeast Blvd Fishers, IN 46037 (317) 845-5573 Free Parking

Hotel: Hotel Indigo Fishers – Indy's Uptown 9791 North by Northeast Blvd Fishers, IN 46037 (317) 558-4100

The guaranteed room rate is \$97.00 plus 17% state and local tax. You need to reserve your room by **Sunday, October 5.** 

- ☐ This special room rate is for *Thursday*, *10/16 only*.
- Please inform the reservationist that you are with the Public Defender Council when making your reservation.
- ☐ If you have problems, contact Teresa Campbell, Training Coordinator at (317) 232-2490.
- Check the website for up-to-date information.

  www.in.gov/pdc/general/calendar.html
- ☐ Cut-off date for pre-registration is noon on Wednesday, October 15.
- ☐ No registering over the phone. Mail or fax only. Visa and MasterCard are accepted.
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Professor Abbe L. Smith is passionate about criminal defense. She has been teaching at Georgetown University Law Center since 1996 where she serves as Co-Director of the Criminal Justice Clinic & the Prettyman Fellowship. From 1990 to 1996, Professor Smith was Education Director and then Deputy Director of the Criminal Justice Institute at Harvard Law School. While at Harvard, she was also a clinical instructor in the criminal defense clinic and a lecturer on law in trial advocacy. In 2005-06, Professor Smith was a Senior Fulbright Scholar at the University of Melbourne Law School in Melbourne, Australia. Professor Smith teaches and writes in the areas of criminal defense, legal ethics, juvenile justice, and clinical legal education. She is the co-author, with Monroe H. Freedman of *Understanding Lawyers' Ethics* (4<sup>th</sup> ed. 2007). She is also a published cartoonist. From 1982 to 1990, Professor Smith was a trial attorney with the Defender Association of Philadelphia. She continues to be actively engaged in criminal law practice and frequently presents at public defender and legal aid training programs. Professor Smith is currently on the Board of Directors of the Bronx Defenders and the national Juvenile Defender Center, and is a longtime member of the National Lawyers Guild.

